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Did you find out anything?
There was nothing strange about him. He just finished studying for the test and went to the convenience store.
The neighbors told me that the victim owed a lot of money to people.
They couldn't pay back their debt for months and went through a lot. I think the criminal's motive is financial and to do with money.

Yeah. Money shattered his family and relationships.
Also, the wife of the family was a bit suspicious. She embezzled funds from his private company.
Ah, you think so? I think about it, I heard his wife. He works in building demands, but he was given leave for a day.
What? Why?
It was done... Health issue. I think they died if was a burned body?
But there's nobody who can testify it. So you should probably research the victim's insurance plans.
Then the man murdered his family for insurance money? That's a really messed up thing to do.

It's just a hypothesis. So don't think about it too much, Miss Hong.
Anyway, how is your situation? Do you think you can catch the criminal?
Of course! I'll launch a surprise attack tomorrow.
Work hard. Later Changhoon's just keeps stacking the work on us.

By the way, Detective Lee, the husband of one of the victims is going to come by in around two or three.
Alright. Don't worry. I'll take care of it.
Hehe. I owe you one, S Hong!
Because of you, I won't get an earful from my wife today. I love you ~ :D

I can't stop thinking about that victim's ghost from this morning.
The ghost is stuck with some kind of desire and can't depart from this world.
If grandma was still alive, she would help fulfill the ghost's desire.

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TAK.
PHEW... I'M EXHAUSTED...
WHAT'S THIS IT'S ALMOST 3 AM AND I'M FALLING ASLEEP?
SNORE Z
THE VICTIM'S RELATIVE SHOULD BE COMING SOON.
I HAVE TO FINISH ORGANIZING THIS BEFORE THEN.
I'LL START WITH THE BASICS FIRST.
THE FIRST VICTIM. OK JA YANG. 52 YEARS OLD. A HOUSEWIFE.
FOUND LYING IN FRONT OF THE SOFA. AUTOPSY RESULTS SHOW THAT SHE WAS FOUND STABBED IN THE SIDE WITH A WEAPON.
THE SECOND VICTIM. SO YEUN CHAE. 26 YEARS OLD. A GRADUATE STUDENT.
FOUND IN THE LIVING ROOM LYING NEXT TO THE TELEPHONE. AUTOPSY RESULTS SHOW THAT SHE WAS STABBED THICE IN THE BACK.
AND THE LAST VICTIM. OH YEUN CHAE. 21 YEARS OLD. A COLLEGE STUDENT.
FOUND IN THE LIVING ROOM LYING IN FRONT OF A TOILET. AUTOPSY RESULTS SHOW THAT HER LARYNGEAL EDEMA WAS INDUCED BY A BLUNT WEAPON. SHE COULD HAVE DIED DUE TO A CONCUSSION.
AMONG THE THREE CORPSES, HER INJURIES WERE THE MOST SEVERE.
OH YEUN CHAE. THIS PERSON...
SO HER FACE ORIGINALLY LOOKED LIKE THIS...
HOW DIFFICULT....
THIS KNIFE IS THE ONE WE ASSUME WAS USED TO KILL THE SECOND VICTIM, SO YEUN CHAE.
A TYPICAL, 150 MM LONG, KITCHEN KNIFE.
DID THE TIP OF THE KNIFE BREAK OFF WHEN THE GIRL WAS STABBED IN THE BACK?
ADDITIONALLY, A LIGHTER, THE SUSPECTED CAUSE OF THE FIRE/SON, WAS FOUND. BESIDES FINGERPRINTS, THERE WAS NO OTHER EVIDENCE FOUND.
THERE WERE NO OTHER FINGERPRINTS, THE DOORS AND WINDOWS SHOWED NO SIGNIFICANT SIGNS OF FORCED INTRUSION. DOCUMENTS, POSSESSIONS AND VALUABLES WERE ALL STOLEN.
BUT TO SAY THIS WAS JUST AN ARMED ROBBERY IS NOT QUITE RIGHT....
THE HEADS OF THE CORPSES ALL POINT IN THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION OF THE MAIN ENTRANCE.
THE VICTIMS WERE ALL ATTACKED FROM BEHIND....

But if the fire was started before they were attacked, obviously they would be facing the door as they would try to get out.

Therefore, it would make sense if the murderer took place before the fire started.

In a typical murder scene, the victims would be lined against the wall as they would make their to regret and end up being stabbed in the chest or stomach.

But these victims fell after being attacked from behind.

Even if two of them were trying to run away...

The way Gi Yeun One fell is strange.

Why was she facing the kitchen?

She was long further away from the two other victims. There was really only enough space for one person to have been standing behind her while she was being attacked.

Did the murderer kill Gi Yeun right after they walked out of the kitchen together?

Yet, even if the kitchen was the starting point of the fire, the place had no evidence of a struggle in the area.

Why was the murderer standing in that tight spot to kill Gi Yeun?

She fell, facing the wall...

It's strange to say she died while running away.

It's as though she was attacked by surprise...

....

...A surprise attack?

What a sec, when was the last the victims were seen?

It's here somewhere...

Found it.

So Yeun One returned from school at 9 PM.

Gi Yeun One came back from hanging out with friends at 1 AM.

One AM.. It's around the time she the the fire started.

Gi Ji Yong and So Yeun One were definitely in the house before the fire started.

But it's highly possible that Gi Yeun One might have returned home right after the cramming, started the fire.

Although Gi Yeun got home after the murderers got there, she was still killed...

It would make sense to say that after the murderers committed the first two murders, he waited for Gi Yeun to come home before launching a surprise attack.

If the murderer was hiding in the kitchen then the situation makes sense....

Gi Yeun was facing the front and she was killed by surprise from someone in the kitchen....

She must not have been attacked with a knife because the tip was been broken off when So Yeun was stabbed. So she was attacked with a blunt object....

It could not have been a mere robbery because the murderer hid and waited for his last victim.

And the murderer knew for sure that another person was going to come home....

The murderer...

More or less knew all the members of that family...

Knew their lifestyles...

It's significant that the cramming, came in without any evidence of cramming and entering. It means that the victims let him in themselves.

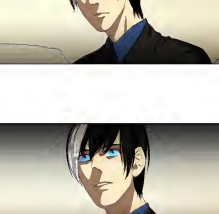
The victims were killed from behind while they were occupied with something.

It's a possible scenario, especially because we do not know the precise time of the victims' deaths, nor when the cramming entered the house.

But why did the murderer enter the house to kill a mother and two daughters time morning?

Did he want something from them? Or...

Did he have a particular reason to kill all three of them?



SO YOU WERE HERE, KOREAN POLICEMAN.
DDDD
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AAAA
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BRING OUT THE MONEY!! PAY ME BACK RIGHT NOW!
MY CLOTHES GAVE ME THE MONEY! PAY ME BACK RIGHT NOW!
WHO SAID I WON'T GIVE IT TO YOU? YOU'RE SO RUDE!
PAY!!
PAY!!

WHAT...
WHY DO YOU HAVE MY WALLET? YOU MUST REALLY BE...
LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!
YOU UNFRIENDLY KOREAN POUCHMAN!
BECOMES THE SECOND OF THE WORD OF THE DAY!

DO YOU WANT YOUR WALLET BACK?
PBBB
I DON'T GIVE WALLETS BACK TO BAD POUCHMEN FOR FREE!
IF YOU WANT YOUR WALLET BACK, SAY SORRY FOR HITTING ME!
YOU CAN'T SAY IT'S YOU CAN'T SAY IT, HUH?

HE'S DEFINITELY SUSPICIOUS
HE SUDDENLY SHOWED UP WITHOUT A SIGN...
BADUF
BADUF
HE PROBABLY TAMPERED WITH MY WALLET SOMEHOW BEFORE GIVING IT BACK TO ME...
...!

...Wait,

when did I...

receive this?

...COULD YOU PLEASE STOP POPPING OUT SUDDENLY LIKE THAT?
WHY? DOES IT SCARE YOU?
COULD YOU STOP PUTTING YOUR FACE CLOSE TO MINE? IT'S IRRITATING.

I'll give you the money, so give me some space!
How much was it? Do you have the receipt?
N-no, Mr. Lee!
What I mean to say is-
I want to, what was it, um, that... um...
Since I can't lose this, I should keep it safely away from my wallet...
A bargain to come to strike up a bargain with you.
What? A bargain?
That's right! A bargain! It's not difficult!
I won't receive payment for the clothes you ruined.
But instead, could you let me sleep here for a night?
ha
haha
Okay. bye bye.
Wait! Wait! Wait!
Why? Why? Are you rejecting my bargain?
DRAG
DRAG
Where would you find a better deal than this?
DRAG
DRAG
Wait, Mr. Lee!!
Shut up! You think a police station is some kind of motel?
Go away and don't come back, bastard!
Come on! Let me sleep here! I don't have anywhere to go!
Oh, okay! You want me to punch you in some bread? You want to sleep there!?
Bread!? You're giving me bread!?
No really! You want a knuckle sandwich?
Uh.
Excuse me..
Is this the Gangnyeuk 3 team..?
Banjaewha - is a respectful way to address a leader
Gangnyeuk - is the department in charge of crimes of violence